 Membership to

TALLEBUDGERA GOLF COURSE

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Dear Golfer,

It gives me pleasure in providing you with an application form.

Our financial year runs from the 1st January to 31st December, 2023. This application is for memberships from 01/01/2024 to 31/12/2024 (12 months).

Membership to Tallebudgera Golf Course will give you the following;-

* Official Golf Australia & W.G.U. golf handicap with Golf Link
* Golf Genius Scoring App & Registration
* Insurance on the Golf Course
* Membership reduction in green fees:-

**18 Holes** $22.00 …… Member $35.00 …… Non Member

 **9 Holes** $16.00 …… Member $25.00 …… Non Member

**Motorised Buggy 18 Holes** $22.00 ……Member $40.00 …… Non Member

* Being a Member of Tallebudgera Golf Course entitles you to play all competitions
* Management run the Course and the individual clubs run the competition of the day.

Each day’s club has an eligibility clause requiring a minimum of 5 games to be played with that respective club before being eligible to win their Honour Board events.

Each respective Club holds its own annual end of year Presentation Night. This is funded from members own contributions throughout the year. A percentage of your annual fee goes toward supporting these competitions.

**COMPETITONS:**

* Monday 6.30 a.m. Veterans Mixed Comp. (Winter starts at 7am)
* Tuesday 7.30 a.m. Mixed Competition
* Wednesday 6.30 a.m. Mixed Competition (Winter starts at 7am)
* Thursday 7.15 a.m. Ladies Competition (Winter starts at 8am)

\* Saturday 6.30 a.m. Men’s Competition (Winter starts at 7.00 am)

 11.30a.m. Mixed Competition

* Sunday 7.30 a.m. Mixed Competition

**MEMBERSHIP FEES 01/01/2024 TO 31/12/2024 - (12 Mths)**

 **Subscription (Incl GST) $ 395.00**

 **+ Joining Fee (Incl GST) $ 80.00**

 **$ 475.00**

**(Optional) Add On Package Unlimited Social Golf Mon-Fri +$ 650.00**

**(This Package does not include green fees in ANY competitions) $ 1125.00**

Hope you have a long and enjoyable Membership. **Please tick option**

**Tallebudgera Golf Course**

**George, Jacque, Ben and Luke**

**Membership Application**

Having read the general information sheet I hereby apply for admission to Membership of the Tallebudgera Golf Course. In support of my application, I supply the following particulars. (Privacy Statement available on request).

Office use ………Number……………………………….

MR / MRS / MS …………………**SURNAME** …………………………………………………...........

GIVEN NAMES …………………………………………………………………………………………….........

PREFERRED NAME …………………………………………………………………………………………...........

PRIVATE ADDRESS …………………………………………………………………………………………............

POSTAL ADDRESS ……………………………………………………………………POSTCODE……………………....

EMAIL ……………………………………………………………………………………………..........

HOME PHONE …………………………………MOBILE ………………………………………..........

DATE OF BIRTH ………………………………..OCCUPATION ……………………………..........

I (am at present), (have been) a Member of the ……………………………………………………. Golf Club here

and my Golf Link number was …………………………… Intended Home Club …………………………………….

Which leagues (comp days) would you like to be added to? ………………………………………………………………………….

**Commitment Statement**

I certify that this information is true and correct in every particular.

I am an amateur as defined by the Royal and Ancient Club of St. Andrews, and I undertake, if accepted, to be bound by the Rules and By-Laws of the Club, and the Articles of Association and By-Laws of Golf Australia.

Full membership entitles you to **:** Golf Link registration **:** Golf Australia Handicap **:** Insurance defined by AGU

If you don’t have a previous handicap, or one valid within the last 2 years, play 3 games at Tallebudgera, submit your card signed by an Tallebudgera member to receive an official handicap.

Being a Member of the Tallebudgera Golf Course entitles you to play in all competitions.

Management run the course and individual clubs run the competition of the day.

Each day’s club has an eligibility clause requiring you to play a minimum of 5 registered Golf Link games with your registered handicap before you are eligible to win their Honour Board events.

Each respective Club holds its own annual end of year Presentation Night. This is funded from members own contributions through the year.

**SIGNED DATE**  ………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………..........................

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**Dear New Member,**

*Welcome* to Golf Club membership at Tallebudgera Golf Course.

You don’t have to be good golfer to be a member of a golf club…you just have to want to be a member. A club provides an opportunity to learn more about the game of golf, the rules, etiquette and technique by interaction with like minded people. Remember that everyone had to start to learn the game sometime and 99.9% are still learning…!!!

**Structure**

As explained overleaf, Management are responsible for the care, maintenance and condition of the Golf Course.

Individual clubs run the competition of the day and are responsible for their own timesheet, scores, results and prizes.

**Clubs**

The clubs are self-funded from their own contributions by members who turn up on the day. Management contributes a proportion of the annual membership fee back to the clubs on a proportionate basis.

Each club has its own Committee who are responsible for the day to day running of their respective competition, issuing of prizes, maintaining records and updating their respective Honour Boards. Committees are elected by their members at an Annual General Meeting.

As a member of the Tallebudgera Golf Course, you are entitled to play on any day’s competition. Competition fees collected by the clubs are used solely for their own members i.e. prizes, trophies, Presentation Night and away trips. Each club has a slightly different fixture list and social programme.

To encourage loyalty to a respective club, they stipulate that you must have played a minimum of 5 games with your Golf Australia handicap in the 4 months preceding an Honour Board event, including Monthly Medal as this leads to the Honour Board event known as Medal of Medals. Cards put in for handicap do not qualify for this condition.

**Information**

We have included a couple of information sheets on how to avoid slow play, the bane of every golf course and a tip on how to correctly repair a pitch mark on a green. During the year we will publish a newsletter for all members to keep them informed of upcoming events both socially and on the golf calendar.

Always check the various notice boards in the club house, and talk to other members.

**Dress Code**

The dress code here at Tallebudgera is more relaxed than at some other courses. Please be aware that what you wear here may NOT necessarily be acceptable at other courses. We do however encourage members to dress according to a code that would be acceptable at other courses to avoid embarrassment or disappointment should you not being allowed to play because of your inappropriate standard of dress. The minimum standard is collared shirt (definitely no singlets or muscle shirts), tailored shorts, shoes and socks (no sandals or thongs).

**Alcohol**

Under the licensing laws no BYO alcohol is allowed on the course or in the clubhouse. Alcohol can be purchased in the club house. Alcohol cannot be purchased outside licensing hours and cannot be sold whilst out on the course from a drinks buggy, so don’t ask.

All members are required to respect this condition and direct their guests and friends accordingly.

**Behaviour**

All members frown on mis-behaviour on a golf course. We the Management take pride in the standard of our golf buggies and will remove anyone mis-behaving in golf buggies. Bent steering arms and broken windscreens are the result of careless behaviour and all damage will be paid for by the person to whom the key has been assigned. Please report any unruly behaviour immediately when observed so that it can be dealt with by the Course Marshal.

**Members Duties**

There are 2 main duties expected of members under the Constitution of the Tallebudgera Golf Club. (copy available for viewing upon request).

1. To promote the game of golf.

2. To encourage good fellowship among the patrons.

So once again *welcome* and may you enjoy a long and fruitful association with the wonderful game we know (and sometimes hate) called……**GOLF**

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**P.S. Don’t drink and drive…don’t even putt…!!! (Dean Martin)**